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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Nicholas DeCristofaro, et al.
Serial No.: 09/506,533
Filed: February 17, 2000
For: **AMORPHOUS METAL STATOR
FOR A RADIAL FLUX ELECTRIC MOTOR**
Docket No.: 0017-20 CIP

Group Art Unit: 2834
Examiner: Karl I. E. Tamai

Morristown, N.J. 07962
January 16, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the office action dated October 16, 2001, in the above-identified application,
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Amend Figs. 4a and 5 as shown in red on the prints submitted herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page ⁸7, line ⁶28, delete the paragraph beginning "As depicted by Figs. 4A and 4B", and
substitute therefor the following paragraph:

— As depicted by Figs. 4A and 4B of the drawings, strips 212 of the tooth section 230 are cut to a plurality of predetermined sizes and contactingly stacked to ensure metal-to-metal contact among the stacked strips so that the longest strip is located approximately at the center of the tooth section 230 and the strips 212 become shorter towards the outer edges of the group 230. This configuration defines two diametrically opposed first free ends 232 that collectively form a

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